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Proposed Memorandum of Transmittal

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, RQM/OIS

SUBJECT : [REDACTED] Information on 25X1X7
USSR Inland Waterways

REFERENCE : Memo to AD/RR from [REDACTED] 25X1X7
dated 27 March 1957

1. Attached hereto is a report in response to the referenced request. This report includes the approximate breakdown in tons of the total cargo transiting USSR inland waterways, and the times these waterways are navigable. It also includes a breakdown of the total tons originated and terminated on the individual waterways systems of the RSFSR which account for nearly all waterways traffic in the USSR.
2. Information is not readily available on a breakdown by waterways systems of all traffic in the USSR, or on the special precautions, if any, taken to prevent the formation of ice at the various headlocks and in the harbors (the use of compressed air or heated water from factories or power stations).

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